GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
CULTURE
LOK SABHA

UNSTARRED QUESTION NO:3714
ANSWERED ON:23.12.2004
PROMOTION OF ART AND CULTURE
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Will the Minister of CULTURE be pleased to state:

(a) the achievements made by the Government towards promotion and expansion of Arts and Culture;

(b) the achievements made and the activities undertaken by the Cultural Centres during each of the last three years and the current year, State-wise;

(c) whether the Government has set up Cultural Resources and Training Centres for foreign teachers;

(d) if so, the details thereof, location-wise; and

(e) the functions and objectives and the achievements made by them?

Answer

THE MINISTER FOR INFORMATION & BROADCASTING AND CULTURE (SHRI S. JAIPAL REDDY)

(a) Ministry of Culture has a number of schemes for promotion of art and culture viz. i) Financial Assistance to Professional Groups and Individuals for Specified Performing Art Projects, (ii) Financial Assistance to Cultural Organisations for Construction of Building/Purchase of Equipments, iii) Financial assistance for Promotion and Dissemination of Tribal/Folk Arts and Culture, iv) Scholarship to Young Artists, v) Senior/Junior Fellowship to Outstanding Artists

Besides the above, various Institutions, Akademies and Zonal Cultural Centres are contributing towards promotion of art and culture.

Under the above schemes and through the Institutions, large number of individuals and organisations are assisted every year to pursue action in the field of art and culture.

(b) There are 7 Zonal Cultural Centres which were set up with the objectives of protecting and promoting folk arts in India. To achieve this objective, Zonal Cultural Centres implement the following Schemes:

(i) National Cultural Exchange Programme (ii)Documentation (iii)Guru Shishya Parampara (iv)Theatre Rejuvenation (v)Young Talented Artists

Since the expenditure is incurred by the Centres for the Zone as a whole aimed at protecting and promoting art forms, a statement showing activities and expenditure incurred for each programme organized by the Zonal Cultural Centres during the last three years and up to November, 2004 is annexed.

(c) : No, Sir.

(d) & (e) : Does not arise.

STATEMENT REFERRED TO IN REPLY TO PARTS (a) & (b) OF LOK SABHA UNSTARRED QUESTION NO.3714 FOR 23.12.2004 REGARDING PROMOTION OF ART AND CULTURE.

Documentation of Vanishing Arts Form Expenditure incurred

	2001-02	2002-03	2003-04	2004-05
North Zone Cultural Centre, Patiala	10.00	10.00	NIL	10.00
South Zone Cultural Centre, Thanjavur	10.00	10.00	NIL	10.00
North Central Zone Cultural Centre, Allahabad	10.00	NIL	NIL	10.00
South Central Zone Cultural Centre, Nagpur	07.00	NIL	NIL	10.00
Eastern Zonal Cultural Centre, Kolkata	06.90	10.00	NIL	10.00
West Zone Cultural Centre, Udaipur	08.69	08.58	NIL	10.00

North East Zone Cultural Centre, Dimapur 10.00 10.00 10.00 10.00

National Cultural Exchange Programme Expenditure incurred

2001-02 2002-03 2003-04 2004-05

North Zone Cultural Centre, Patiala 25.00 35.00 35.00 30.00
South Zone Cultural Centre, Thanjavur 25.00 25.00 35.00 30.00
North Central Zone Cultural Centre, Allahabad 25.00 35.00 35.00 30.00
South Central Zone Cultural Centre, Nagpur 25.00 35.00 29.33 30.00
Eastern Zonal Cultural Centre, Kolkata 25.00 35.00 29.34 30.00
West Zone Cultural Centre, Udaipur 20.00 35.00 29.33 30.00
North East Zone Cultural Centre, Dimapur 25.00 25.00 35.00 50.00

Guru Shishya Parampara Expenditure incurred

2001-02 2002-03 2003-04 2004-05

North Zone Cultural Centre, Patiala NIL NIL 23.52 Yet to be released
South Zone Cultural Centre, Thanjavur NIL NIL 23.52 Yet to be released
North Central Zone Cultural Centre, Allahabad NIL NIL 23.52 Yet to be released
South Central Zone Cultural Centre, Nagpur NIL NIL 23.52 Yet to be released
Eastern Zonal Cultural Centre, Kolkata NIL NIL 23.52 Yet to be released
West Zone Cultural Centre, Udaipur NIL NIL 23.52 Yet to be released
North East Zone Cultural Centre, Dimapur NIL NIL 23.52 Yet to be released

Theatre Rejuvenation Expenditure incurred

2001-02 2002-03 2003-04 2004-05

North Zone Cultural Centre, Patiala NIL NIL 11.00 5.50
South Zone Cultural Centre, Thanjavur NIL NIL 11.00 Yet to be released
North Central Zone Cultural Centre, Allahabad NIL NIL 11.00 5.50
South Central Zone Cultural Centre, Nagpur NIL NIL 11.00 Yet to be released
Eastern Zonal Cultural Centre, Kolkata NIL NIL 11.00 Yet to be released
West Zone Cultural Centre, Udaipur NIL NIL 11.00 Yet to be released
North East Zone Cultural Centre, Dimapur NIL NIL 11.00 Yet to be released

Young Talented Folk Artists Expenditure incurred

2001-02 2002-03 2003-04 2004-05

North Zone Cultural Centre, Patiala NIL NIL NIL 2.30
South Zone Cultural Centre, Thanjavur NIL NIL NIL 2.30
North Central Zone Cultural Centre, Allahabad NIL NIL NIL 2.30
South Central Zone Cultural Centre, Nagpur NIL NIL NIL 2.30
Eastern Zonal Cultural Centre, Kolkata NIL NIL NIL 2.30
West Zone Cultural Centre, Udaipur NIL NIL NIL 2.30
North East Zone Cultural Centre, Dimapur NIL NIL NIL 2.30